

My name is Jacqueline Rubell Johnson, I am a voter from West Hartford. I am writing in strong support of both S.B. 184 and H.B. 5262 (Continuing Absentee Voting in 2022 due to COVID19).

More than 650,000 Connecticut voters voted by absentee ballot in the 2020 CT General Election—which means they voted early and on their own schedules. This led to record breaking 80% voter turnout. Listen to the voters, the choice is clear. In these volatile times, we must do all we can to increase engagement and participation in the franchise.

Please protect the freedom to vote and pass S.B. 184 and H.B. 5262. I believe voters should be able to vote this year by absentee ballot as COVID19 concerns persist. Please continue the COVID19 safety measures of 2020 and 2021 for 2022 and allow for everyone who fears exposure to COVID19 to vote by absentee ballot.

Thank you!

Sincerely,
Jacqueline Rubell Johnson
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